

Harrisburg Democrat.

CAL. DEPARTMENT.

Wednesday, May 10, 1867.

We will thank our readers for all their occurrences in their immediate localities. If they do not write a communication for the public eye, send us a brief statement of everything of interest in their respective communities. A list of deaths, accidents, fires, removals, marriages, &c. We will put them in our columns. Persons wishing advertisements must hand them in early on Tuesday morning, and enclose their insertion for that week.

The accounts of the firm of JACOB MAN as far as sent out for collection on the hands of the following persons:

In Township.—JOHN H. HETLER; L. C. CHESTER;

—BENJ. ZIMMERMAN, P. M. COVASSA; —STEPHEN BALDWIN; —HARPER; —Sugarcreek Township, bills for collection placed in the hands of MONTGOMERY, to whom payment is requested made at the earliest convenience.

Scott Township, all persons knowing themselves in arrears for subscription, and owing to the DEMOCRAT, will please pay to JOSEPH LILLEY.

—DANIEL HARTMAN; —MICHAEL KELLER.

The public are directed to our advertisements of a new and interesting character in this week's DEMOCRAT.

Daniel W. Robbins is making improvements upon his property situated on S. St.

A. E. Miller is making improvements on the Steeple building occupied by S. Miller. He is an enterprising young man.

Charles Dickens is coming to this city again. "What will we do with him?"

Mr. Buchanan is considered the rich of the surviving ex-Presidents, and enjoys a sumptuous life as one may with

The high water in Fishing Creek and Susquehanna inundated much of our lands near town last week. The water higher than it has been since the great flood in the spring of 1865. The damage to fences and crops was slight.

We would call attention of the public to the changes made in the Time-Table of Northern Central Railway, as published in the DEMOCRAT. Persons traveling to Baltimore and Washington would do well by taking notice of these changes as are made.

At an election held by the stockholders of the Bloomsburg Literary Institute on the 4th inst., the following persons were chosen as Trustees:

Bert F. Clark, Peter Billmeyer, Frederick B. Rupert, William Snyder, for years; John Wolf, Conrad Bittnerbender, Philip P. Conner, for three years.

WE THANK YOU for your kind and timely responses to our applications for the past week, and we are gratified in giving a good paper for the service—We are glad that our subscription lists are the best in the State, and to extend patronage bestowed by it we cheerfully invite our success in establishing a live paper on a firmer basis than any other in this section.

Read the advertisement of B. H. Miner's new house of public entertainment in day's DEMOCRAT. BARNEY is a clever boy and knows how to treat his customers well.

We were shown, a few days ago, that we thought very fine specimens of taken off the premises of CORNELIUS H. AS, in Orange Township, this County has taken steps to have it arrested, and did it prove to contain sufficient iron to warrant its development. Mr. Bellas feels confident that large quantities of the ore are produced on his lands. The discovery was made some time ago by Mr. B. but attention of the public was not until recently called to it.

We learn that our young friend, B. Hicks, has lately taken charge of the grocery store situated at Lime Ridge, Centre Township, better known as the "Hess Stand," where he is preparing to accommodate all who favor him with their custom. He keeps groceries of every description, flour, feed, meat, potatoes, and will sell cap for cash. Those wishing any thing in line would do well to give him a call—He trade on the canal, as well as that of vicinity, is not respectfully solicited.

In consequence of the high water trains on the Lackawanna and Blooming Railroad stopped running several days. No road at certain points was completely submerged. The road has been damaged by the late frost but to what extent we were not learned.

The Susquehanna Convocation of the Episcopal Church, convened in Muncy Tuesday evening of last week. The clergymen present during the session were Rev. N. Lightner, of Danville; Rev. A. Wadsworth, and Rev. Mr. Spackman, of Williamsport; Rev. Mr. Shinn, of Lock Haven; Rev. Mr. Lafferty, of Bellefonte; Rev. Mr. Culver, of Bloomsburg; and Rev. A. P. Brush, of Rev. G. C. Drake, of Muncy. Interacting services were held in St. James' church, at Muncy, during the assembling of the Convocation, commencing on Thursday evening and ending on Thursday evening, when the Convocation adjourned.

We learn that during the terrible storm last week a great deal of heavy timber was destroyed in Jackson and other Townships in the northern part of the County by being felled to the ground by the wind. Much of it is said to be shattered to such an extent as to make it totally worthless save fuel; and that which is not damaged by falling will soon become so from lying in damp wet ground.

The base ball club of this place has been reorganized. They have played several games on their old ground. On Saturday last a game was played, the editor of the Berwick Gazette and the junior editor of the Columbian participating. It seems to us like healthy exercise to the lower extremities.

The impression prevailing that the "New For Bill" and the hills allowing parties to testify before Court in their own suit, and repealing the State tax on personal property, passed both branches of the Legislature at the late session, and became laws, is erroneous. A bill has been published from I. B. GARRA, Esq., Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth, in which it is stated that neither of these measures became laws, and the prevailing impression on the subject is a mistake.

We are surprised to see children wearing shoes with ragged holes at the toes—wasting their parent's money, and endangering their health, when for a trifling sum, shoes with copper or the new and beautiful silver tips can be had which never wear out at the toes, thus preventing these two serious evils. —N. Y. Post.

The Good Templars and the Grand Army of the Republic are two political parties that ought not and will not deceive any intelligent and reflecting Democrat. The one is just as much a political machine as the other, and both are the inventions of designing politicians. We warn our friends against these insidious snarls. They are but traps in which to delude the honest, well-meaning and unsuspecting under a false pretence for the purpose of bolstering up an avaricious and sinking political party.

The daily papers report Jeff Davis at Richmond in preparation for trial. Judge Underwood is presiding. Reports also state that the Counsel for the Government were not ready to proceed, whereupon he was released upon \$100,000 bail, of this sum \$25,000 were pledged by each of the following persons: Horace Greeley, Augustus Schell, General Jackman, and A. Welsh. The bail was accepted. Davis released. Says Harrisburg paper.

Lates reports are that the excitement in the ancient and venerable village of Canaveral over the liquor question has subsided. Everybody is tending to their need and accustomed avocations and all things are passing off as "merrily as a marriage bell."

Messrs. CHANT and KIERLICH still continue to keep hotel with all the rights and privileges granted to hotel keepers under the act of Assembly April 29, 1865.

Mr. John Kressler, of Scott, made a narrow escape with his life one day last week. While about his stock he was fiercely attacked and gored by a young bull, which was only driven off of him by being dealt several heavy blows with a club in the hands of Mr. Kressler. The bull had succeeded in getting Mr. K. down, and putting its knees upon him, with his weight and pining, would have soon crushed the life out of Mr. K. had it not been for the timely arrival of his son. The animal heretofore has been very quiet and peaceful. He is still not allowed to run, and it is the intention to have him put in proper condition and slaughtered.

In the north branch of the Susquehanna as high up as Bloomsburg 103 shad were caught in one day, and 56 the day following. They sold ready at \$1.50 per pair. A great many shad have been caught in the Juniata this season.—*Susquehanna Times.*

This may be true in one sense of the word, as our townsmen, Mr. Stichner, has been catching shad by the barrel for the past two months or more, and retailing them to his customers at prices ranging from forty to one dollar.

BRACK IN THE CANAL.—On Wednesday, the great pressure of water caused a serious break in the West Branch Canal, near Tumen's Mill, below Williamsport. About forty feet of the tow path is washed away, and the embankment is high at that point. A portion of the bank has also carried away. This will cause a suspension of navigation for two or three weeks.—*Harrisburg Telegraph.*

Quite a number of landlords of this County were taken by surprise last week when their partners and bonds were presented to the Court for license, and it was ascertained that many of them did not conform with the late act of Assembly. Many of these hotel keepers had either undertaken to do their own business or employed some inefficient person (not a lawyer) to fill up their blanks for them. In several cases no license was granted on the ground of the defective drawing and filing of the petitions. Quite a number were held over for a time on account of the ball not having signed both petition and bond. This defect is quite a number of cases gave parties a good deal of trouble. The late Act of Assembly relative to the change in granting licenses, was published in all the papers of the County. The DEMOCRAT was the first to receive and publish it, as did they in the case of the late Jury Law. But it all shows that our people read the papers too little.

The black Republican party has accomplished its mission; and now it must do with the issues which gave it birth and kept it in power. The pole-man who edifies the *Republican*, and by the way he is forever boasting of his brains, will be loath to believe this, but nine-tenths of his party will not dispute the fact. Mark the prediction. The eight in months which intervene between now and the Presidential election, will witness the decline and fall of a party which has done more mischief, shed more innocent blood, squandered more money, kindled more diabolical passions, inflicted deeper wounds on Constitution Government, in a shorter space of time, than any political party that ever existed in the world. To bring about all this our neighbor of the *Republican*, who is an avowed abolitionist, but at one time denied it, did all in his power. He now stands a fair chance of sinking with the party which ruined the country, in infamy and disgrace.

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OUR TOWN IS STILL MOVING IN IMPROVEMENTS; in addition to the buildings and removals we have before mentioned we notice that Judge Elmer is erecting a very fine frame house on Third Street nearly opposite his present residence.

L. T. Sharpless is erecting a good sized brick dwelling on Main Street just below the residence of L. W. Hartman.

Dr. J. B. McElroy has torn away his old house, and is now at work in the building of a large brick mansion.

W. Hartman is refitting his dwelling houses, will make out an addition in its appearance.

THE HARRISBURG CLOTHING COMPANY, of the Royal Mechanical Variety Troupe, who are located in Snyder's Hall, at this place, were working last week, was successful in getting several houses. Their entertainment was of an interesting character.

"AN ACT TO LAY OUT A STATE ROAD, in Schuylkill and Columbia Counties," was repealed at the last Session of Cameron's Legislature, through the exertions of our present worthy member, Capt. Thomas Chalfant, among whom small piece of legislation a certain mongrel sheet in this Representative District attempted to make capital for the present, namely by asserting that the bill was passed the winter of 1865, without the knowledge of the citizens of Centralia and Conyngham Township. We have no doubt the writer of the quib was entirely ignorant of the facts in this case, and "would not willingly wrong even a political opponent." The facts in the case are these: The bill was passed upon the strength of the citizens of Ashland and Conyngham Township petitioning for the same. One of the Commissioners in the bill was a gentleman of good character and standing, residing in Centralia Borough; notice was published in the local departments of two papers in Columbia County, which papers circulated quite extensively in Conyngham, and no opposition was made from any quarter; yet it was erroneously stated that the Act was passed without the knowledge of the citizens of Conyngham Township, by parties that "would not willingly wrong even a political opponent." If that kind of flourish was intended to strengthen the bill, it was a most unfortunate choice.

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